

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of

THE APPLICATION OF KENTUCKY POWER)
COMPANY FOR A CERTIFICATE OF) CASE NO. 8271
PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY)

O R D E R

IT IS ORDERED that a hearing be and it hereby is scheduled to commence on December 20, 1982, at 9:00 A.M., Eastern Standard Time, in the Commission's offices at Frankfort, Kentucky, at which time Kentucky Power Company ("KPC") shall provide an explanation, including charts and assumptions, detailing the annual payments to be made and annual revenues to be received for 1982 through 1992 pursuant to the AEP interconnect agreement assuming KPC purchases 15 percent of Rockport and, alternatively, assuming KPC does not purchase Rockport.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that KPC be available on December 20, 1982, for cross examination by the parties.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that KPC shall file an original and six copies of the following information with the Commission, with copies to all parties of record, by December 13, 1982.

1. Revisions to Exhibits "GSV-6" and "GSV-9" based upon the most recent load forecasts.

2. If KPC purchases 15 percent of Rockport, what will be the annual effect on KPC's rates from 1983 through 1988 assuming

completion of Unit I in 1984 and Unit II in 1986? (State all assumptions on load forecast, KWH sales and any other necessary assumptions and include workpapers.)

3. If KPC purchases 15 percent of Rockport, what will be the annual effect on KPC's rates from 1983 through 1988 assuming completion of Unit I in 1984 and deferral of Unit II beyond 1988? (State all necessary assumptions and include workpapers.)

4. Recent news reports indicate that AEP is reevaluating its construction program and reassessing plans to build Rockport Unit II. Provide details of all studies in progress or planned regarding Rockport Unit I and/or Unit II, and provide a copy of each study or state the expected completion date.

5. Explain the efforts which have been or are being taken to secure Kentucky coal to meet Rockport's coal supply requirements.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 3rd day of December, 1982.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


For the Commission

ATTEST:

Secretary